

Wednesday, April 26, - 1899

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Read report of the Bank of Ridgeway.
—Sealed bids for rent of market, etc. Read advertisement.
—Mr. Jim Weatherly is with Mr. Q. D. Willford and will be glad to see his friends.
—The name of Miss Marie McCaus was accidentally left off of the honor roll of Mt. Zion for last month.

Pneumonia, influenza, colds, croup and whooping cough readily yield to our **Little's Cough Cure**. Use this remedy in time and save a doctor's bill or the undertaker's. **McMaster Co.**
—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Refo are moving into the house formerly occupied by the family of Mr. R. T. Matthews.

—Sawdust for sale by John H. McMaster & Co. is a harmless and delightful preparation for the skin. Go to them for it or ring 'phone 39.
—Miss E. G. Dwyer, sponsor for Camp Raines U. C. V., has chosen Miss Ada Carson to be her maid-of-honor at the reunion in Charleston.
Don't think you can cure that slight attack of dyspepsia by dieting, or that you can cure that Kodol dyspepsia cure will cure it. It "digests" what you eat and restores the digestive organs to health. **McMaster Co.**
—Millinery, pattern hats, latest sailor's trimmed and untrimmed hats in variety, with a milliner full posted in styles, etc., and prices to suit the times. I wait your trader.

Mrs. Boag.
—An ordinance relating to dogs is published to-day and will be strictly enforced, so that owners of dogs had better invest in muzzles if they wish to keep their dogs, or avoid paying a fine.

Mrs. J. D. McCauley's millinery is handsome and entirely up-to-date, and her stock is larger this year than ever before. She has an experienced milliner and their work is sure to please. Call and see their hats. Read her advertisement.

—The steamship Havana, carrying eight companies of the Third Engineers, arrived at Savannah Monday. These men went to Atlanta where the regiment is to be mustered out of service. The Engineers have been stationed at Cienfuegos, Cuba.

Some of the results of neglected dyspeptic conditions of the stomach are cancer, consumption, heart disease, and epilepsy. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure prevents all this by effecting a quick cure in all cases of dyspepsia. **McMaster Co.**

—The veterans may expect a good time in Charleston. This city knows how to entertain, and she will do her best for the old soldiers. Fairfield, we have no doubt, will be well represented. Nearly every Confederate in the county says that he expects to go down.

—The vestibule trains which have been running during the winter for the benefit of tourists have been discontinued. There has been a great deal of travel from the north to Florida this winter but now that warmer weather is here, there is no longer any need for these trains.

—Ready-made waists for women and children can be had at Q. D. Willford's, thus saving much work. These waists are at all prices and are just what are needed for spring and summer. A handsome line of skirt materials can also be found at this store. See and be convinced.

—The town council is having more tile pipes placed on Main street in place of the unsightly wooden bridges which have done duty for so long. This council will have the sincere gratitude of the town for the improvements that have been made on the streets during their administration.

—The marriage of Miss Louise Pressley, daughter of Mr. D. A. Pressley, to Rev. William Hayne Mills, took place in the First Presbyterian Church in Columbia on Tuesday afternoon. The groom has charge of a church in Foreston, Clarendon County, and after the ceremony the bride and groom took the train for their future home.

—A large crowd met the north-bound train on Wednesday afternoon, as it was the first train to stop at the new passenger depot. The building of this depot has excited the greatest interest among the people of the town and when it was ready for use they manifested their pleasure by crowding to meet the train. Every afternoon now there are a number of people at the depot, but this will probably continue only until the novelty of the new station wears off.

—Has anyone here noticed anything peculiar in the appearance of the moon? The Greenwood Index says that a number of people in that city have noticed that the moon looks as if it is up side down, and some of them think it a sign that something out of the ordinary is going to occur. Some of the old men of Greenwood say that they had a moon like this in 1851 but nothing startling resulted.

By allowing the accumulations in the bowels to remain, the entire system is poisoned. DeWitt's Little Early Risers regulate the bowels. Try them and you will always use them. **McMaster Co.**
—The city of Charlotte is in quite a state of excitement over a case of smallpox in that city. A drummer stopping at one of the boarding houses was taken sick and it soon was discovered that his malady was smallpox. As soon as it was possible the sick man was removed to an isolated place and every precaution was used to prevent the spread of the disease. No other case has developed yet, and so much care has been taken to prevent the disease from spreading that it is not probable any other cases will develop.

Backache's Arise! The Best Remedy in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Rheumatism, Burns, and Skin Eruptions, and all other eruptions of the skin. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by **McMaster Co.**

Dreadful CROUP

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup

When your children are attacked by the dreadful croup, you need not despair; Dr. John W. Bull's Cough Syrup will relieve and cure this disease at once. You can always depend on this marvelous remedy; it never fails to cure. For whooping cough and measles-cough it is the best remedy in the land. Children like it.

Will cure Croup without fail.
Doses are small and pleasant to take. Doctors recommend it. Price 25 cents. At all druggists.

—A large audience was present at the Thespian Hall on Friday night to hear the concert given by the ladies of the A. R. P. Church. The entertainment proved to be one of the most delightful ever given in Winnsboro and a very nice sum was realized. The songs were beautifully rendered and the singers received beautiful flowers from the admiring audience. Miss Creighton's recitation and Mr. Dunn's and Rev. C. E. McDonald's readings were thoroughly appreciated and elicited loud applause. Miss Allston sang the "Bonnie Blue Flag" beautifully, and during the song held in her hand an old Confederate flag. The concert closed with a cake walk led by Mr. Jack Pressley. The dancers executed the steps with much grace and had there been a prize offered it would have been a difficult matter to decide to whom it should be given. Misses Susie Ketchin and Agnes Rice sang very pretty songs and all of the choruses were fine.

It makes no difference how bad the wound if you use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve; it will quickly heal and leave no scar. **McMaster Co.**

IMPORTANT MEETING.
There will be a business meeting of the survivors of the Sixth Regiment on Saturday, April 29th, in Winnsboro. The members are earnestly requested to be on hand, as important business will be transacted.

I. W. Woodward,
Pres. Fairfield Div. 6th Reg. Survivors' Association.

If you have piles, cure them. No more dangerous or horrible operations that simply remove the results of the disease without disturbing the disease itself. Place your confidence in DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It has never failed to cure others; it will not fail to cure you. **McMaster Co.**

DEATH OF MRS. YOUNG.

Mrs. Young, of South Caldwell street, died last night. The remains will be taken to Winnsboro, S. C., today for burial. Deceased was a member of the A. R. P. Church. She was a most estimable woman; an earnest Christian character.—Charlotte Observer.

DEATH OF G. T. SIMS.

Mr. G. T. Sims died in Spartanburg on Sunday of pneumonia. Mr. Sims was a native of Union county, but about ten years ago he moved to Dawkins where he began business as a merchant. In 1890 he married Mrs. Pope, a daughter of Mr. E. L. Martin, of Monticello. Mr. Sims attended the South Carolina College for three years. Last fall he moved from Dawkins to Spartanburg. His friends at Fairfield learn of his death with great regret.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one whose life has been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or who has been cured of chronic diarrhoea by the use of that medicine. Such persons make a point of telling of it whenever opportunity offers, hoping that it may be the means of saving other lives. For sale by **McMaster Co.**

DEATH OF A LADY.

Wife of Policeman William Dyes of Consumption.
Mrs. T. B. Willingham, wife of Policeman Willingham, died yesterday afternoon after a long illness of consumption. Her husband and five children survive her. Mrs. Willingham, before her marriage, was Miss Christmann, of this county. The remains will be taken this morning to Winnsboro for interment.—The State, April 24.

THE FUNERAL OF MRS. WILLINGHAM.

Took place on Monday morning at the Methodist Church, Rev. J. D. Crot reading the service.

TRY IT

Women suffering from female troubles and irregularities, such as pain, weakness, and from irregular or painful menses, ought not to lose hope if they cannot help themselves. Physicians are so busy with other diseases that they do not understand fully the peculiar ailments and the delicate organism of woman. What the sufferer ought to do is to give a fair trial to

BRADFIELD'S Female Regulator

which is the true cure provided by Nature for all female troubles. It is the formula of a physician of the highest standing, who devoted his whole life to the study of the distinct ailments peculiar to our mothers, wives and daughters. It is made of soothing, healing, strengthening herbs and vegetables, which have been provided by a kindly Nature to cure irregularity in the menses, Leucorrhoea, Falling of the Womb, Nervousness, Headache and Backache. In fairness to herself and to Bradfield's Female Regulator, every suffering woman ought to give it a trial. A large 3¢ bottle will do a wonderful amount of good. Sold by druggists.

Send for a nicely illustrated booklet on the subject. The Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga.

IN HIS NEW QUARTERS.

The work of moving from the 1d passenger depot to the handsome new depot was completed on Wednesday and Mr. J. H. Skinner is settled in his new office. For several days a force of hands has been at work changing the wire, and in order to have them ready by Wednesday the work went on on Tuesday night. The new depot would compare favorably with any depot in the State and is nicely furnished and complete in every respect. The building consists of four rooms—two waiting rooms, a ticket and express office and a baggage room.

Dr. Cady's CONDITION POWDERS, are just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge. They are not food but medicine and the best in use to put a horse in prime condition. Price 25 cents per package. For sale by **McMaster Co.**

MISSIONARY TEA.

The tea given on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. W. G. Jordan for the benefit of the Home Missionary Society was in every respect a success. The ladies who were present enjoyed the afternoon thoroughly, and the proceeds of the tea far exceeded the expectations of the members of the society. A more delightful place than Capt. Jordan's residence could not be found for such an entertainment, and the rooms were prettily decorated with cut flowers and pot plants looked very attractive. The daily refreshments were served by the young ladies of the society, the guests being seated at small tables.

The first tea having proved such a success the ladies will probably give several more, and it is hoped that the result will be that the chapel fund will rapidly increase.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Druggist*

GOMING AND GOING.

Mrs. Deal is visiting her sister, Mrs. Preston Rion.

Dr. Jordan returned from Presbytery on Friday.

Mrs. Blair, of Ridgeway, was in town on Monday.

Mr. W. J. Elliott, of Columbia, was in town on Monday.

Dr. Theodore Quattlebaum has returned from Nashville.

Rev. McElwee Ross returned on Thursday to Oxford, Pa.

Rev. J. D. Crot and family have returned from Lexington.

Mrs. H. N. Spence, of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting relatives here.

Miss Maggie Gladden, of Rocky Mount, was in town on Monday.

Mrs. Blakely, of Laurens county, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lauderdale.

Mr. Rudolph Brandt, of Chester, was in town on Wednesday on business.

Miss Allie Kerr, who has been teaching at Hopp, this county, is visiting relatives in town.

Miss Agnes Rice has gone to Union to attend the wedding of a friend.

During her absence Miss Laura Gerig will have charge of her pupils at Mt. Zion.

Mr. Hall was in town Thursday in the interest of the long distance telephone which is to run through here, and was securing rights of way through this part of the county.

Mr. J. M. Beatty went to Charlotte to attend an important meeting of cotton mill men in Charlotte.

A number of mill men from all over the South attended the meeting and great benefit is expected to result from this meeting.

Tetter, Salt-Rheum and Eczema.

The intense itching and smarting incident to these diseases, is instantly relieved by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples, chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites and chronic sore eyes. 25c. per box. For sale by **McMaster Co.**

WARNING TO ANONYMOUS WRITERS.

A Colored Woman Arrested and Meets With a Sad End.


Some time ago Alice Rowe, a colored woman, made complaints to Postmaster Rion that she was receiving through the postoffice here some very scurrilous letters, and that these were anonymous. This is a very serious crime against the Federal law, and the postmaster reported the matter to Postoffice Inspector Oldfield, who came to Winnsboro, and after working on the case for three days he fastened upon Janie Lemmon, a very respectable colored woman, as the guilty one. The inspector wrote a letter to Janie Lemmon as a decoy, and received an answer. In this way he secured a specimen of her handwriting, which he compared with the anonymous letters written to the Rowe woman, and became convinced that Janie Lemmon had written the anonymous letters. He went to Columbia and secured a warrant for the arrest of Janie Lemmon. She was arrested on Friday night and admitted to Postmaster Rion that she had written the letters, though she told Mr. and Mrs. Brice that, although she had confessed, she was frightened. She assured them that she had not written them.

It seems that Janie Lemmon and Florence Jones were both in love with John Sampson, and Florence won. It was learned by the inspector that Janie had confided to Alice Rowe that she intended to have her revenge. Preacher Williams, a brother-in-law of Florence Jones, received an anonymous letter, which was severe on his sister-in-law Florence. On the 6th of April, Alice Rowe received an anonymous letter containing vile imputations as to the character of Florence Jones.

As already stated she was arrested on Friday night and taken to Columbia. The Columbia State gives the following account of the sad end to Janie Lemmon's life:

There was a sad sequel to the arrest

IN A careful chemical examination of the leading Malt Extracts of the world, the United States Government Chemists found



Pabst Malt Extract
The Best Tonic

was the only one of all that was absolutely pure and perfect. Others cannot replace it.

At all drug stores.

of Janie Lemmon for sending obscene literature through the mails. She died in Richland county jail yesterday morning.

Inspector Oldfield and Deputy Marshal Thornton went up to Winnsboro Friday afternoon to arrest the woman. She was summoned to the postoffice and informed that the officers had found out who wrote the letters. She asked who was the party suspected. They told her that she was the one and that they would put her under arrest. She did not deny the accusation, and when they told her of the proof she confessed.

In the presence of Postmaster Preston Rion, the assistant postmaster, Inspector Oldfield and Mr. Thornton she signed a written statement to the effect that she had written the anonymous letters.

She was permitted to return to the home of Mr. Brice, where she had been employed as a nurse since she was a child.

When the children for whom she was a nurse learned of her arrest they were very much distressed, and the officers very considerably let the woman stay until the children had gone to sleep, when they took their prisoner to the depot.

The woman showed no unusual excitement, other than anyone similarly situated would have done. She was a young woman and apparently well and strong. Shortly after she was put on the train she was attacked with something like cholera morbus, but apparently recovered before reaching Columbia. When she was taken to the jail there was a recurrence of the pain, and Jailer Coleman had her given attention, although he did not think she was seriously sick. Yesterday morning about daylight he was awakened by one of the attendants at the jail, who said that the prisoner was very sick. When he reached the prisoner of but a few hours she was dying. She was bleeding at the mouth as if from a hemorrhage, but the flow of blood was not copious, and the hemorrhage was not the cause of death, which followed in a few minutes.

Dr. Lester, the government physician, was summoned, and his diagnosis was that death resulted from heart trouble.

There are circumstances connected with the strange and sudden fatality which led some to believe that the woman committed suicide, but this is discredited by the physician, Mr. Coleman and others.

The result of the coroner's inquest was that the death resulted from natural causes.

Janie Lemmon had been employed in the family of Mr. J. A. Brice for about fifteen years. She was a respectable, industrious, reliable, and honest colored woman, and had the full confidence of her employer. She, perhaps, did not realize the enormity of her crime, if guilty at all, but this country has been worried with the scurrilous anonymous letters of rowdies, and, while it regrets this poor colored woman's end, it is glad that the stern arm of the government has gone out in search of these bushwhackers of character—characters they are afraid to attack in the open. It is reported that the authorities of the government do not think that poor Janie Lemmon has written all of the anonymous communications through the mails, and are determined to rid the community of all such low vulgar cowards.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Druggist*

Mrs. Wyatt Aiken returned this morning to Chester after visiting relatives here.

Rheumatism is a thorough, permanent, constitutional cure for rheumatism. The acids in the blood which cause the disease are thoroughly eradicated. It is also the best blood purifier, laxative and tonic.

Mrs. J. E. McDonald and Mrs. J. P. Matthews were in Columbia Tuesday.

Miss Annie Aiken and Miss Charlotte Aiken left this morning for Spartanburg.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Druggist*

Try Allen's Foot-Ease.

A powder to be shaken into the shoes. At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily. Try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives ease and comfort. Try it today. Sold by all druggists, grocers, shoe stores and general storekeepers everywhere. Price 25c. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N.Y.

Tried Friends Best.

Forty years Tutt's Pills have proven a blessing to the invalid.

Are truly the sick man's friend.

A Known Fact

For bilious headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation, and all kindred diseases.

TUTT'S LIVER PILLS

AN ABSOLUTE CURE.

FIRST QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE BANK OF RIDGEWAY,

RIDGEWAY, S. C.

At the close of business, April 15th, 1899.

RESOURCES.

Loans.....	\$30,302 47
Town of Ridgeway 7 per cent. bonds.....	2,000 00
Cash in vault and in other banks.....	6,036 89
Real estate.....	365 00
Furniture and fixtures.....	195 45
Total.....	\$38,899 81

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock.....	\$25,000 00
Undivided profits, net.....	2,253 70
Individual deposits.....	11,646 11
Total.....	\$38,899 81

State of South Carolina, County of Fairfield,

Before me personally, James N. W. Palmer, Clerk of the Bank of Ridgeway, and makes oath that the statement above is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

N. W. PALMER, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of April, 1899.

J. B. BORD, Notary Public.

Attest correct.

W. H. RUFF, I. C. THOMAS, C. P. WRAY, Directors.

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1,000 BALES PEAVINE HAY; 65c. per hundred; \$12.00 a ton.

S-144 H. L. ELLIOTT.

JAPANESE PILE CURE

A New and Complete Treatment, consisting of SUPPOSITORIES, Capsules of Ointment and two Boxes of Ointment. A never-failing cure for Piles of every nature and degree. It makes an operation with the knife, which is painful, and often results in death, unnecessary. Why endure this terrible disease? We make a Written Guarantee in each box. No Cure, No Pay. 50c. and \$1.00 a box, for 50 and 100 Pills respectively. Sample free.

OINTMENT, 25c. and 50c.

CONSTIPATION Cured. Pills Prescribed, by J. J. OBEAR, Druggist, Winnsboro, S. C.

FREE.—A trial of these famous little Pills will be given with a 5¢ box of more of Pile Cure. NOTICE.—THE GENUINE JAPANESE PILE CURE FOR SALE BY J. J. OBEAR, Druggist, Winnsboro, S. C.

Sealed Bids.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, Winnsboro, S. C., 18th April, 1899.

SEALED BIDS FOR THE RENT of the Market (with telephone attached) for the year commencing 1st May, prox., and the furnishing of street lamps, globes, No. 2 chimneys, No. 2 burners, No. 2 wicks per dozen, glass fonts, glass cut for lamps and matches, and written applications for positions on the police force will be received up to 12 o'clock M. on Friday the 28th inst.

By order of Council: JOHN J. NEIL, Clerk.

4-20d

MILLINERY.

OUR MILLINERY OPENING

was a decided success. Nothing but universal praise was heard from each visitor, and the number of Hats sold on those days is a guarantee that our Millinery surpasses all previous seasons. We have a larger stock than ever before.

Come and buy from us; we will make the prices suit you.

MRS. J. D. MCCARLEY.

CELERY. CELERY

WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE of these goods direct from Kalamazoo that every lover of Celery will appreciate.

CELERY SALAD.

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CHOPPED CELERY.

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Call for recipe book and sample.

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Fine Groceries.

VICOREMEN

Easily, Quickly, Permanently Restored

MAGNETIC NERVEINE is sold with a written guarantee to cure Insomnia, Nervous Debility, Loss of Vitality, Seminal Losses, Railing Memory—the result of Overwork, Worry, Sickness, Youth or Overindulgence. Price 50c. and \$1.00 a box of 50 Pills.

For quick, positive and lasting results in Sexual Weakness, Impotency, Nervous Debility and Loss of Vitality, use the YELLOW LABEL SPECIAL—double strength—will give strength and tone to every part and effect a permanent cure. Cheapest and best 100 Pills \$2.00 by mail.

FREE.—A bottle of the famous Japanese Liver Pills will be given with a 5¢ box of more of Magnetic Nerveine. Sold only by

J. J. OBEAR, Druggist, Winnsboro, S. C.

The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States.

The management of the Equitable Life Assurance Society in this territory is desirous of securing the services of a man of character and ability to represent its interest with Winnsboro as head quarters. The right man will be thoroughly educated in the science of life insurance and the art of successful soliciting. There is no business or profession not requiring capital which is more commendable than a life agency conducted with energy and ability. Correspondence with men who desire to secure permanent employment and are ambitious to attain prominence in the profession is invited.

W. J. RODDEY, Mgr., Rock Hill, S. C.

Hardware, Etc.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS PURCHASED the interest of the estate of E. Gerig, deceased, in the stock of goods of Gerig & Seigler, and solicits the trade of the people of Fairfield County.

Plows, Hoes, Harness, Saddles, Farming Implements

of all kinds, and everything found in a FIRST-CLASS HARDWARE STORE.

J. W. SEIGLER.

W. A. W.

The registered stallion W. A. W. will be at the stable in rear of Mr. Henry Refo's store Friday and Saturday of each week; balance of time on the farm. He is seven years old, bay, with black points. Has good bone and muscle; no blemish or defect. He is kind in disposition and a quiet rider. His sire is the celebrated R